

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHERN DIVISION**

ELRICK HARRIS,

Plaintiff,

v.

**OPTION ONE MORTGAGE
CORPORATION, H&R BLOCK
MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
PREMIER MORTGAGE
FUNDING, INC.; AND MORGAN
TITLE SERVICE, LLC,**

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO.

2:06-cv-630-ID

**JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND
DISPOSITIVE MOTION DEADLINE**

Plaintiff Elrick Harris and Defendants Option One Mortgage Corporation, H&R Block Mortgage Corporation, Premier Mortgage Funding, Inc., and Morgan Title Service, LLC hereby jointly move the Court to extend the dispositive motion deadline from March 5, 2007 to May 5, 2007. As grounds for this motion, the parties state as follows:

1. On September 21, 2006, this Court entered a Scheduling Order which set the discovery cutoff on May 31, 2007, and the dispositive motion deadline on March 5, 2007.

2. Plaintiff's counsel is under court order to complete discovery in three Hurricane Katrina related cases and therefore the parties are in need of additional time to complete discovery in this case prior to the dispositive motion deadline.

3. The parties are also actively engaged in settlement discussions and believe that this extension will facilitate the on-going negotiations.

4. The parties do not believe that any other deadlines in the Scheduling Order will need to be extended as a result of this request.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff and Defendants respectfully request this Court to extend the dispositive motion deadline to May 5, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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